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INTEGRATING REPLACEMENTS METAL GATE STRUCTURES

RESPONSE

In response to the Election/Restriction Office Action mailed June 17, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-referenced patent application in light of the following.

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REMARKS

With this Response, Applicant elects claims 1-17, without traverse. Thus, Applicant respectfully requests that claims 8-28 be withdrawn, leaving claims 1-17 pending. The Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned by telephone if such contact would further the examination of the above-referenced application.

Please charge any shortages and credit any overcharges to our Deposit Account number 02-2666.

Respectfully submitted, BLAKELY, SOKOLOFF, TAYLOR & ZAFMAN, LLP

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